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## Bank.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Paid-up Capital, \$3,000,000.  
Instalment received on New Shares, 2,074,744.75

Reserve Fund, \$2,000,000.  
Instalment of Premium received on New Shares, 1,563,361.06

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## Intimations.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

TENDERS for DOCKING, CAULKING, RE-METALLING and REPAIRING the HULL of the Steamer KIU KIANG, will be received by the Undersigned until Noon on SATURDAY, the 14th Instant.

Further Particulars can be obtained at the OFFICE of the Company.

By Order, T. ARNOLD, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, June 6, 1884. 946

COLONIE DE LA COCHINCHINE.

CONTRIBUTIONS INDIRECTES.

CONFORMEMENT aux dispositions arretées par le CONSEIL COLONIAL dans sa seance du 28 Decembre dernier.

Les personnes qui desireraient établir en Cochinchine des distilleries d'appareils perfectionnés pour la transformation des rizi et autres substances en alcools destines à l'exportation, devront faire parvenir leur demande en autorisation à l'Administration avant le 1<sup>er</sup> Septembre, 1884, accompagnée des plans et indications propres à permettre de l'execution du projet.

La Concession aura lieu aux conditions suivantes:—

1<sup>re</sup>.—La distillerie devra être établie à Saigon ou sur le territoire du 20<sup>me</sup> arrondissement. Tous les batiments seront construits en murs de briques, couverts en tuiles, et entourés d'un mur de clôture en briques, avec un accès par une porte en bois.

2<sup>de</sup>.—La fabrication et la sortie des alcools seront soumises au régime de l'excise.

3<sup>de</sup>.—Pendant trois années et jusqu'à concurrence de 2,000,000 de litres, qui courront de la date de l'adjudication, la fabrication pour l'exportation sera exempte de tous droits dans la Colonie. Passé ce délai, ou une fois le chiffre des millions de litres atteint, chaque hectolitre d'alcool exporté sera frappé d'un droit de cinquante cents en remplacement de l'impôt foncier et pour couvrir les frais de surveillance.

4<sup>de</sup>.—Bien que les alcools fabriqués dans des distilleries soient spécialement destinés à l'exportation, la Concessionnaire pourra, au renouvellement des baux, concourir pour l'exploitation d'une ou plusieurs concessions pour la consommation dans l'intérieur de la Colonie, en acquittant les droits et en se soumettant à la réglementation locale.

5<sup>de</sup>.—La distillerie devra être prête à fonctionner le 1<sup>er</sup> Janvier, 1885.

6<sup>de</sup>.—Le gérant devra être agréé par l'Administration.

NOTICE.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.

2.—The Assets of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation will form a direct security for the repayment of sums deposited in the above Bank.

3.—Sums less than \$1. or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$1,500 in any one year.

4.—Deposits may be on behalf of relations, of trusts, &c., in addition to the depositor's own account.

5.—Persons desirous of saving sums less than a dollar may do so by affixing clean ten-cent stamps to a form to be obtained at the Bank or at the Post Office. When the form is presented with ten clean stamps the depositor will be credited with one dollar.

6.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 4 per cent. per annum interest.

7.—Deposits may be forwarded from the Ports by means of clean Hongkong Postage Stamps of any value.

8.—Interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.

9.—Each depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.

10.—Covers containing Pass-Books, Registered Letters containing Stamps of other Remittances, and generally, correspondence as to the business of the Bank will, if marked *Off Hongkong Savings' Bank Business*, be forwarded free of Postage or Registration Fees by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

11.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

12.—All documents connected with the business of the Savings' Bank are exempt from stamp duty.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, April 25, 1884. 715

WITH Reference to the above, BUSINESS will be commenced on the 1<sup>st</sup> May, 1884.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, April 25, 1884. 716

## For Sale.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

(OUTFITTING DEPARTMENT.)

A NEW SUPPLY JUST TO HAND OF SPRING HOSIERY.

UNDERSHIRTS and DRAWERS in SILK, Thread, Crape and COTTON GAUZE.

New THREAD and COTTON HALF-HOSE.

New WASHING SCARFS and TIES.

The New 'Climax' UMBRELLA, guaranteed to wear well.

NAPIER JOHNSTONE'S SCOTCH WHISKY, a Very

Fine Old Spirit, in square bottles.

Hongkong, April 19, 1884. 679

SAYLE & Co.

HAVE FOR SALE THE FOLLOWING NEW GOODS,

EX LATE ARRIVALS.

KENSINGTON CARPETS, all Wool, Seamless, Borders and FRINGES, in NEW DESIGNS and COLORINGS. These Carpets are INEXPENSIVE and DURABLE and are suitable for Summer use.

GODELIN TAPESTRY and CREPE CRETONNES in New Designs.

REVERSIBLE CRETONNES, Pattern both Sides.

EXCELSIOR SPRING MATTRESSES in all Sizes, to fit any

BEDSTEAD.

PATENT WOVEN WIRE SPRING MATTRESSES in all Sizes.

HAMMOCK CHAIRS,

LAWN TENNIS CHAIRS,

CROQUET CHAIRS,

CAMP STOOLS,

&c., &c., &c.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, Hongkong, May 7, 1884. 780

## Intimations.

WA SUN,

PICTURE FRAME MAKER and GLAZIER.

ASSORTED LOOKING GLASSES

FOR SALE.

VASE STAND MAKER, &c., &c.

No. 19, WELLINGTON STREET, Hongkong.

Hongkong, June 3, 1884. 927

NOTICE.

PERSONS desirous of Exchanging Soiled

ONE DOLLAR NOTES for CLEAN

ONES may do so at the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION from this date.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, May 30, 1884. 902

NOTICE.

SAYLE & Co. beg to inform their Customers and the Public in general that in consequence of the Death of the SEIKO RAZUKI, the BUSINESS carried on in the 31st DAY OF AUGUST NEXT, and the whole of the STOCK is now offered at a REDUCTION of 25 per cent. on the Market Prices. Special terms will be made for parcels of Goods over \$100 in value purchased at one time.

All Sales from this date will be for Cash only. Customers are requested to make immediate Payment of Accounts due by them to the late Firm.

SAYLE & Co., Victoria Exchange, Hongkong.

Hongkong, May 30, 1884. 899

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

THE Undersigned has REMOVED to the rear of his former place of Business. Entrance from Messrs. TURNER & Co.'s Lane.

WILLIAM DOLAN.

Hongkong, May 8, 1884. 786

DRY DOCK AND PATENT SLIP, NAGASAKI.

THE Undersigned has been appointed AGENTS for THE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT DOCK AND PATENT SLIP, at Nagasaki, and are prepared to supply Tenders for the Docking, Careening, Painting, &c., of Vessels. The Dock Works in connection with the Dockyard are under the direction of experienced ENGINEERS and possess all the necessary appliances for REPAIRS to SHIPS and MACHINERY.

HOLME, RINGER & Co.

Nagasaki, March, 1884. 645

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that in Accordance with Resolution No. 2 passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held at the City Hall on the 30th December, 1883, ALL SHARES NOT TAKEN UP and the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> CALLS paid on or before the 30th JUNE NEXT, will be disposed of by the Directors in such manner as in their discretion, they shall think best in the Interests of the Corporation.

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, April 24, 1884. 712

## Intimations.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB will be held in the Premises of the Club on MONDAY NEXT, the 9th June, at 5 p.m.

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, Hon. Secretary.

VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB.

Hongkong, June 2, 1884. 918

WANTED.—An UNFURNISHED BEDROOM for a Single Man.

Address 'A. B. C.'

Office of the China Mail.

Hongkong, June 3, 1884. 929

SITUATION WANTED.

A YOUNG EUROPEAN, who can write a good hand and who can correspond in the ENGLISH, FRENCH and GERMAN LANGUAGES, desires employment. Good References.

Apply to 'M. A.'

China Mail Office.

Hongkong, June 3, 1884. 930

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO PASSENGERS.

THIS Company now grants passages THROUGH TO LONDON via Marseilles, including Continental Railway fares, at the same rate as for the route by sea to London, &c., &c.

The fare to Marseilles is now similar to that charged to Brindisi or Venice, viz., \$355.

A. McIVER, Superintendent.

Hongkong, March 13, 1884. 455

HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS, WYNDHAM STREET, HONGKONG.

THE Undersigned begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and the Coast Ports that he will RE-OPEN

THE HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS

on the 1<sup>st</sup> March.

The whole of the ROOMS have been Newly FURNISHED throughout, and there are ROOMS suitable for either MARRIED COUPLES or SINGLE PERSONS.

The TABLE will be supplied with the BEST market can provide.

The WINES and LIQUORS supplied, both at the Bar and Table, will be of the VERY BEST BRANDS.

Gentlemen desirous of taking Meals, such as BREAKFASTS and DINNERS, can have ALL REQUISITE information by applying to

GEORGE STAINFIELD, Proprietor.

Hongkong, February 28, 1884. 308

HOP SHING & Co., ENGINEERS, BOILER MAKERS, COPPER SMITHS, BRASS & IRON FOUNDERS, &c., WEST POINT IRON WORKS.

HAVING THIS Day commenced BUSINESS, are ready to undertake the Work of the above Descriptions under the Supervision of an EXPERIENCED EUROPEAN. Orders executed with the utmost despatch and at moderate terms.

24th September, 1883. 611

## Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION OF ENGLISH, AMERICAN & CANTON-MADE FURNITURE, &c., &c.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

MONDAY,

the 10th June, 1884, at 2 p.m., at the Residence of N. A. SIMS, Esq., 'The Albany,'

THE WHOLE OF HIS ELEGANT and VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, consisting of:—

ENGLISH-MADE CHINTZ-COVERED ROSEWOOD DRAWING-ROOM SUITES, BLACKWOOD CARVED MARBLE & PORCELAIN-TOP TABLES, BLACKWOOD CARVED CUPBOARD STAND and Writing Desk.

COTTAGE PIANO, by LEONAR, CROCKERS, MARRON, BOWMAN, FAIRBANKS, GASKELL, CHARTER, REE and LACK CURTAINS, FENDERS and IRONS, &c., &c., &c.

EXTENSION DINING TABLE, CHAIRS, SHIROBOARD, WHATNOTS, GLASS, CROCKERY and PLATED WARE, CUTLERY, &c., &c., &c.

AMERICAN-MADE IRON BED, STEADS, DOUBLE-WINGED LADIES' WARDROBES with PLATE GLASS DOORS, CHAIRS, COUCHES, MARBLE-TOP WASHING STANDS, DRESSING TABLES, CHEVAL GLASS, SHANGHAI BATH, &c., &c., &c.

Flowers in Pots, &c., &c., &c.

Catalogues will be issued previous to the Sale, and the above will be on view on and after Saturday next.

TERMS of SALE.—As customary.

G. R. LAMBERT, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, June 2, 1884. 919

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

M. J. M. GUEDES has received instructions from the ADMINISTRATOR of the Estate of the late ALEXANDER ANTONIO DOY HEMERSON, Deceased, to sell by Public Auction, on

THURSDAY,

the 12th day of June, 1884, at 3 o'clock p.m., on the Premises,—the following VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY,

Situate at SYDNEY, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong.

All that Piece of GROUND registered in the Land Office as INLAND LOT No. 667. Together with the Five Messuages erections and buildings thereon and known as Nos. 2, 4, 6, 8, and 10, First Street, SYDNEY, together also with a Messuage and Shop erected on the East side of the said piece of ground fronting New East Street. There is a frontage to Second Street occupied as a Timber Yard. Annual Crown Rent \$250.194. The whole of the said premises are held for the residue of a term of 999 years from the 8th day of March, 1858, and will be sold subject to a Lease granted to Mr. Chu Tak for a term of 5 years from the 30th day of June, 1883, at a monthly rental of \$150.00 monthly payable quarterly and to the payment of the Crown Rent and to the Covenants and Conditions contained in the Crown Lease thereto. A portion of the purchase money can be advanced on Mortgage of this Property.

For further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to

MATTHEW J. D. STEPHENS, Solicitor, 18, Bank Buildings, Queen's Road, Hongkong; or to J. M. GUEDES, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, May 30, 1884. 904

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY,

the 14th day of June, 1884, at 3 p.m.,—All that Piece of Parcel of GROUND Registered in the Land Office as INLAND LOT No. 344, measuring on the North side 64 feet, South and East 45 feet, North and East 61 feet, South and West 101 feet, or 3,615 square feet. Together with the 2 HOUSES known as Nos. 21 and 31, in Mosque Street. Yearly Crown Rent \$3.16.

THE HOUSE No. 33, in Mosque Junction measuring 151 by 62 feet registered in the Land Office as Subsection No. 2 of Section C of INLAND LOT No. 248.

For Particulars, apply to J. M. GUEDES, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, May 30, 1884. 905

## For Sale.

FOR SALE.

SIX EUROPEAN HOUSES, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, ALEXANDRA TERRACE, Monthly Rent, \$390.

Apply to 'A. B.'

Office of the China Mail.

Hongkong, May 28, 1884. 885



## For Sale.

**MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.**  
No. 53, Queen's Road East,  
(Opposite the Commercial Bank),  
ARE NOW LANDING  
FROM AMERICA  
CALIFORNIA  
COMPANY'S BISCUITS in 5 lb  
tins, and loose.  
Soda BISCUITS.  
Assorted BISCUITS.

**Small HOMINY.**  
Cracked WHEAT.  
OATMEAL.  
CORNMEAL.

**TOPOCAN BUTTER.**  
Apple BUTTER.  
Eastern and California CHEESE.  
COPPERS, Boneless.  
Crème HAM and BACON.  
Eagle Brand Condensed MILK.  
Family BEER in 25 lb kegs.  
Peanut OIL SALMON in 5 lb cans.  
Butter's Dessert FRUITS in 2 lb cans.  
Assorted Canned VEGETABLES.  
Potted SAUSAGE and Sausage  
MEAT.  
Stuffed PEPPERS.  
Assorted SOUPS.  
Richardson & Robinson's Celebrated Potted  
MEATS.

Lunch HAM.  
Lamb's TONGUES.  
Cran OYSTERS.  
Fresh ORCHARD SALMON.  
Dried APPLES.  
TOMATOES.  
SUCROFASH.  
Maple SYRUP.  
Golden SYRUP.  
LOBSTERS.  
OYSTERS.  
HONEY.  
Assorted JELLIES.  
Green CORN.

**FAIRBANKS' SCALES.**  
400 lb. Capacity.  
600 lb. " "  
900 lb. " "  
1,500 lb. " "

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OFFICE HIGH CHAIRS.  
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**DEVOE'S NONPARIEL**  
**BRILLIANT**  
**KEROSENE OIL,**  
150° test.  
Ex late Arrivals from  
ENGLAND.  
A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF  
STOVES,  
including:  
CHRISTMAS CAKES.  
PLUM PUDDINGS.  
MINCEMEAT.  
ALMONDS and RAISINS.  
Crystallized FRUITS.  
TREVISEAU'S DESSERT FRUITS.  
Pudding RAISINS.  
Lento CURRANTS.

**SPARTAN**  
**COOKING STOVES.**  
HITCHCOCK HOUSE LAMP.  
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**CLARETS.**  
CHATEAU MARGAUX.  
CHATEAU LA TOUR, pints & quarts.  
1893. GRAYES.  
BREAKFAST CLARET, " "  
" "

**SHERRIES & PORT.**  
SACON'S MANZANILLA & AMON-  
TILLADO.  
SACON'S OLD INVALID PORT  
(1848).  
HUNT'S PORT.

**BRANDY, WHISKY, LIQUEURS, &c.**  
1 and 3-star Hennessey's BRANDY.  
Bisquit Dubouché & Co's BRANDY.  
First Old HOUSEHOLD WHISKY.  
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ROYAL GLENDEER WHISKY.  
BOORD'S OLD TOM.  
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ROSE'S LIME JUICE CORDIAL.  
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**ANGOSTURA, BOTTLED and ORANGE**  
**BITTERS, &c., &c.**

**BASS'S ALE, bottled by CAMERON and**  
**SANDERS, pints and quarts.**  
**GUINNESS'S STOUT, bottled by E. &**  
**J. BURKE, pints and quarts.**  
**DRAUGHT ALE and PORTER, by the**  
**Gallon.**  
**ALE and PORTER, in hogsheads.**

**SPECIALIZED**  
**CIGARETS.**  
Fine New Season's CUMSHAW TEA, in  
5 catty boxes.  
BREAKFAST CONGOU @ 25 cents p. lb.

**MILNER'S PATENT FIREPROOF**  
**BOXES, CLASH and PAPER**  
**BOXES, at Manufacturer's Price**  
Hongkong, December 1, 1893. 1043

## Intimations.

**ROBT. SIM & Co., PATENT ANTI-  
FOULING COMPOSITION**  
as supplied to  
Her Majesty's Ship, The P. & O. S. N. Co.;  
The Japanese Government;  
Sole Agents, China, Japan, and Manila,  
EDWARD GEORGE.  
Hongkong, January 31, 1894. 188

**WILLIAM DOLAN,**  
**SAIL-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER,**  
22, PRINCE STREET.  
**COTTON DUCKS, HEMP CANVAS,**  
**MANTLA ROPE, AMERICAN**  
**OAKUM, LIFE BUOYS,**  
**CORK JACKETS,**  
&c., &c., &c.  
Hongkong, May 1, 1892. 256

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**The Overland China Mail.**  
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Furniture will be thankfully received at  
the Sailor's Home, West Point.  
Hongkong, July 25, 1878.

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Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor  
Owners will be Responsible for any  
Debt contracted by the Officers or  
Crew of the following Vessels, during  
their stay in Hongkong Harbour:—  
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A. Palmer.—Order.  
C. T. Hook, British steamer, Captain W.  
Jarvis.—T. Howard & Co.  
GLENNY, British steamer, Capt. John  
G. Wright.—Stensen & Co.  
STAR OF CHINA, British barque, Captain  
Charles Smith.—Molchers & Co.  
WILLOW, American barque, Captain  
Chas. A. Sawyer.—Molchers & Co.

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A. Palmer.—Order.  
C. T. Hook, British steamer, Captain W.  
Jarvis.—T. Howard & Co.  
GLENNY, British steamer, Capt. John  
G. Wright.—Stensen & Co.  
STAR OF CHINA, British barque, Captain  
Charles Smith.—Molchers & Co.  
WILLOW, American barque, Captain  
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**THEATRE ROYAL,**  
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**LAST GRAND CONCERT.**

AS at the Two Last Concerts given by  
SINORA MARCHETTI,  
the attendance was small, she earnestly  
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Public for her Final Concert, on  
**TUESDAY EVENING,**  
the 10th Instant.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:  
Dress Circle and Stalls, \$2.  
Stalls (Back Seats), \$1.  
Tickets can be obtained at No. 12, HONG-  
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**"AN IDYL."**  
 Arabella was a school girl—  
 So was Sally Ann,  
 Haughty pudding can't be thicker  
 Than two school girls can.

These were thick as school girls can be,  
 Deathless love-they swore,  
 Vowed that naught on earth should part  
 them.

They grew up as school girls will do,  
 Went to parties, too,  
 And as of olden times happened,  
 Suitors came to woo.

As fate or luck would have it,  
 One misguided man  
 Favored blue-eyed Arabella  
 More than Sally Ann.

And, of course, it made no difference  
 That the love was mutual,  
 That he could not wed two women,  
 Though they wished it much.

So a coldness rose between them,  
 And the cause—a man,  
 Cold was Arabella—very—  
 Colder Sally Ann.

Now they call each other "creature,"  
 What is still more sad—  
 Bella, though she won the treasure,  
 Wishes Sally had.

—*Wendy Carson.*

**THE JAPANESE IN NEW YORK.**  
 The Japanese in New York constitute a  
 little colony by themselves. They are  
 mostly merchants engaged in the importation  
 of raw silk, tea, lacquer ware and  
 rice-plant, or are engaged in official  
 positions as students in some of our colleges.

All told, there are probably thirty-five  
 persons, one of the number, and but one,  
 being a lady, the wife of the Japanese Consul.

They have a club room on Sixth Avenue,  
 near Twenty-first street, and here they  
 assemble like a happy family after the  
 business hours of the day, for the inter-

change of views and to keep pace with the  
 progress, which they recognize as a part  
 of their own. Most of these Japanese  
 gentlemen on Broadway and you will find  
 that he has thoroughly adapted himself to  
 the customs of our own people.

With his black hair and olive complexion, small  
 feet and hands, he reminds you of a  
 Cuban, while in his dress he is the embodiment  
 of the best of current taste, and in his  
 deportment the best of a gentleman.

His business is conducted in accordance with the best European  
 and American methods, a system  
 which they acquired before leaving home  
 as the sons of large merchants and the  
 heads of mercantile departments. Their  
 bank, the Yokohama Specie Bank, which  
 Mr. Taniuchi is president, is the great  
 means of direct exchange and as one of  
 the wealthiest corporations in that city,  
 having a capital of \$4,000,000.

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An inquiry at the institution revealed the  
 fact that a considerable number of American  
 and German men have taken up their abode  
 in the Japanese quarter, and that the  
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almost womanly gentleness describes the  
 various articles of virtue or use in the  
 establishment. Unlike our own people  
 they never press anything on an unwilling  
 customer. On the contrary, they are the  
 essence of politeness and as if you were  
 doing them a favor, which it is out of  
 their power to refuse. The shelves and  
 counters present the appearance of a  
 museum, everything being novel in colour,  
 form and method of construction, the  
 array of porcelain, stone ware, vases,  
 statuettes, heavily lacquered furniture and  
 smaller objects, such as tea sets, trays,  
 secretaries and corsetiers are representa-  
 tive of the best work of the Empire, and  
 show the wonderful skill of the manufac-  
 turers, while the display of fans and um-  
 brellas—the national institutions of Japan  
 —the quaint dolls, hair pins, tortoise shell  
 ornaments and a thousand articles of bric-  
 a-brac arrest the eye by the neatness of  
 their workmanship and the harmonious  
 combination of bright colours. Even the  
 commonest objects are made attractive.

**LAGER WARE.**  
 You learn in conversation with the in-  
 telligent clerk that the lacquer which  
 enters on generally into Japanese ware is  
 the product of a tree, and requires but few  
 mechanical operations to prepare it for the  
 work to which it is applied. It is said to  
 be a native of the island of Japan, and  
 is a white, milky substance, but gradually  
 assumes a dark brown and almost  
 black colour. After such incisions are  
 made every three or four days, until the  
 time being covered, it is cut down at the  
 end of the season, and the wax is submitted  
 to further treatment. This consists of the  
 introduction of coloring matter, gold leaf,  
 shell, pearl, and whatever may be desired  
 for ornamental purposes. It is then applied  
 in successive layers and allowed to dry. The  
 process of hardening takes place in a dark  
 and damp atmosphere. The finest lacquer  
 is made in Tokyo, while the cheaper articles  
 are manufactured in the interior. The art  
 is already more than a thousand years old,  
 and pieces of that age are said to be still  
 extant in Japan. Owing to its durability,  
 it may be used for all sorts of domestic  
 implements, even those that are subjected  
 to great heat, and is also applied to walls,  
 ceilings, staircases, columns and, in fact,  
 wherever beautiful decoration is desired.

In 1874 a French steamer foundered off  
 the coast of Japan, at a depth of twenty-five  
 fathoms, and its Japanese crew, the work-  
 men, the gold painting and the lacquer coatings  
 were in an admirable state of preservation,  
 while the locks and ornaments made of silver  
 had changed color and were nearly ruined.

This, said the informant, "explains why  
 the Japanese are so much interested in the  
 middle and higher classes in our country,  
 and why, if it were as well known here,  
 it would eventually take the place of some  
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